Ⅲ Table 3-17

Median salaries for recent SEH doctorate recipients up to 5 years after receiving degree, by field of degree and employment sector: 2013

(Dollars)

		Education					
		4-year institutions					
Field of doctorate	All sectors	All positions	Tenured or tenure-track position	Postdoc	2-year or precollege institutions	Government	Business/ industry
All SEH fields	70,000	54,000	71,000	44,000	53,000	79,000	91,000
Biological, agricultural, and environmental life sciences	51,000	46,000	68,000	43,000	46,000	68,000	71,000
Computer and information sciences	105,000	78,000	88,000	S	S	101,000	120,000
Mathematics and statistics	72,000	60,000	62,000	63,000	S	89,000	96,000
Physical sciences	63,000	50,000	60,000	46,000	51,000	73,000	90,000
Psychology	62,000	54,000	60,000	42,000	53,000	83,000	66,000
Social sciences	66,000	62,000	68,000	48,000	58,000	89,000	86,000
Engineering	90,000	70,000	82,000	45,000	S	88,000	99,000
Health	78,000	70,000	71,000	42,000	S	79,000	99,000

S = suppressed for reasons of confidentiality and/or reliability.

SEH = science, engineering, and health.

NOTES:

Salaries are rounded to the nearest \$1,000. Data include graduates from 19 months to 60 months prior to the survey reference date. The 2-year or precollege institutions include 2-year colleges and community colleges or technical institutes and also preschool, elementary, middle, or secondary schools. The 4-year institutions include 4-year colleges or universities, medical schools, and university-affiliated research institutes.

SOURCE:

National Science Foundation, National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, Survey of Doctorate Recipients (2013), http://sestat.nsf.gov.

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